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**Largest Circulation in
Nodaway County**

Northwest Nodaway.

W. F. Dowis of Savannah was here the first of the week attending to business matters and visiting his sons, Eugene, Bert and Porter Dowis.

Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Churchill went Sunday to Bedford, Ia., to visit Mrs. Churchill's sister, Mrs. Dr. Roberts.

Quite a good many are attending the medicine show in Sheridan this week.

Elmer Talkington of near Nebraska City, a son of George Talkington, drew a claim in the contest at Gregory, S. D.

Miss Edna Stoner visited in Maryville and attended the teachers' meeting.

Mrs. Joe Dukes spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. William Bainum.

Corn is selling at 53 cents a bushel, 75 pounds to the bushel, and hay is very scarce at \$10 a ton.

Mt. Ayr.
Corn husking is the order of the day at present.

The attendance at Mrs. McMullen's sale Monday was not large, but things sold very well. Corn brought 50 cents per bushel.

L. L. Tebow and family were dinner guests last Sunday of Mr. Charles Tebow and family of Ravenwood.

Henry Heitman is erecting a pair of scales on his farm, which was very much needed in this part of the community.

G. W. Irvin and wife visited over Sunday with the latter's sister, down near Conception.

Rev. Royston of Barnard filled his appointment last Sunday at Mt. Ayr, and preached a very interesting sermon, which the audience appreciated very much.

Merida Wiles and wife and her two

children, Gerald and Otis Mendenhall, made a week-end visit with Frank Schweikhardt and family.

The pupils of Mt. Ayr school are advancing nicely under the instruction of Miss Bernice McGinnis.

A good many people are complaining of bad colds, but there is no serious illness in the community at present.

The ladies of the Mt. Ayr church served lunch at Mrs. McMullen's and also at Mr. Carmichael's salons and netted a neat little profit.

Mrs. O. D. Inman was trading with Maryville merchants last Tuesday.

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—5,500. Market weak. Estimate tomorrow, 1,500.

Hogs—24,000. Market steady; top, \$6.40. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Sheep—25,000.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—5,000. Market weak.

Hogs—13,000. Market 5c higher; top, \$6.40.

Sheep—7,000. Market weak.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—18,000.

Hogs—8,000. Market strong; top, \$6.35.

Sheep—2,500. Market weak.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Nov. 8.—Cattle receipts, 5,000. Steers steady; top, \$8.85. Cows sold steady, but heifers were 10@15c lower. Outlook firm for choice cattle, but future on medium grades and butcher cattle depends on receipts.

Hog receipts, 8,000. Market 10@15c lower; top, \$6.35; bulk, \$6.00@6.25. Outlook only fair.

Sheep receipts, 4,000. Market unchanged. Top lambs, \$5.75; sheep, \$3.35.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Six wagon loads of dirt to dispose of. Call Hanano Telephone office, 8-10

Hosmer's mid-month stock sale at Gray's pavilion Saturday, Nov. 18th.

Miss Josephine Ault of Barnard was in Maryville shopping Wednesday.

Mergen's cut flower store, the place where you can get the best flowers at reasonable prices. Floral work a specialty. Hanano phone 64; Bell 133.

STONE FOR CHAMP CLARK.

Missouri Senator Declares the Speaker is His Ideal.

United States Senator William Joel Stone, in St. Louis yesterday, announced himself unqualified as favoring the candidacy of Speaker Clark for the Democratic nomination for the presidency in 1912.

LEFT FOR NEW HOME.

Mrs. C. P. Luce and Son Left Thursday—Will Visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Charles P. Luce and son, George, left Thursday noon for Chicago, where she will meet her daughters, Misses Cornelia and Katharine Luce, who left for that city by way of Des Moines Wednesday. They will be in Chicago a few days, the guest of a niece of Mrs. Luce, Mrs. Lacy Hooker and of the family of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrison, who are located at 6565 Yale for the winter. Robert Luce, a high school student, will remain in Maryville until Friday night, the guest of Theodore Robinson, and will leave Maryville in time to take up his high school work in his new home at Wooster, O., without missing an hour of school work. Mrs. Luce and her family have been making their headquarters the past week with Mrs. V. W. Keene and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines. They have been entertained at dinners and breakfasts by several friends during the past week, and were unable to accept the many invitations they received. On Sunday they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ogden, Monday by Mr. and Mrs. Raines, Tuesday by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curfman and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Petty, Wednesday by Mr. and Mrs. Ogden, Professor and Mrs. B. F. Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kurtz. The Luce family will be greatly missed by many of our people, and the best wishes of all follow them. The city of Wooster offers many fine educational advantages, and this place was decided upon by Dr. Luce for that reason. Mrs. Luce expects to take up special university work and keep up in study with her children. She will renew her study of German and French, in which studies she was quite proficient. Her mother, Mrs. L. B. Taylor, who is quite well known here, now in Detroit, will be with the Luce family in Wooster.

BEN CRAVENS REARRESTED

TAKEN BY OKLAHOMA OFFICERS AT PENITENTIARY GATE.

Desperate Man Must Now Answer for Killing Postmaster at Red Rock in 1901.

Jefferson City, Nov. 9.—Charles Maust, identified as Ben Cravens, the notorious outlaw, was arrested as he stepped from the state prison gate to be taken to Oklahoma to be tried in the United States court for two murders.

The arrest was made at midnight to get ahead of the Kansas officers, who had arrived to take him to Lansing to complete a 25 year sentence for robbery in Chautauqua county.

Four Oklahoma officers and two officers of the Kansas penitentiary identified Maust as Cravens when he was arraigned before United States Commissioner Geisberg for the killing of the postmaster at Red Rock, Ok., in 1901. That section was then an Indian reservation, hence the offense charged will be tried in the federal courts.

Cravens was then turned over to A. J. Martin of Kansas City, United States marshal, who took him as far as Kansas City, where he was given up to government authorities from Oklahoma. Cravens was heavily handcuffed and in addition wore a heavy leg iron.

Cravens' body bears scars from bullet wounds and upon these, partly, his identification as Cravens was established. Cravens asserts he was not shot by Oklahoma officers in a fight which resulted in the death of a companion, but that he was shot by Kansas authorities when he escaped from the state penitentiary at Lansing, after holding up guards with a dummy revolver.

Cravens, under the name of Maust, was sent to the Missouri penitentiary in 1893 to serve three years for robbery.

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**TOMORROW
FRIDAY**
**The Buying Value of your
Money will be even
Greater than
usual at
TOWNSEND'S**

10 crates good hard CABBAGE, per pound	2c
50 or 100-lb lots at, per lb	12c
25c CORN MEAL	.21c
25c box best ROLLED OATS	.20c
10c box best ROLLED OATS	.08c
15c cans QUAKER OATS	.12c
9 lbs new NAVY BEANS	.50c
7 lbs new KIDNEY BEANS	.50c
7 lbs new CALIFORNIA PINK BEANS for	.50c
7 lbs CALIFORNIA LIMA BEANS	.50c
MISTLETOE BUTTERINE, 1-lb prints for	.20c
1 doz ELGIN CORN	.90c
1 doz LOWA CHIEF CORN	.85c
1 ozd FAMILY TOMATOES	.95c
1 doz NEW BEETS, quart cans	.90c
1 doz NEW HOMINY	.85c
1 doz PUMPKIN	.90c
1 doz VAN CAMP'S COUNTRY GEN-TLEMAN CORN	\$1.25
1 doz CAMPBELL'S or LIBBY'S SOUPS	.95c
2 pkgs best MINCE MEAT	.15c
2-lb finest MOIST MINCE MEAT	.25c
1 gal PURE CIDER VINEGAR, 25c; 2 for	.45c
1 gal WHITE WINE VINEGAR, 15c; 2 for	.25c
1 doz tall cans 16-oz size VAN CAMP'S Pet or CARNATION MILK	\$1.00
SALT CURED PORK, 9 lbs for	\$1.00
Morrell's 25c grade LEAN BREAKFAST BACON, pieces 4 to 6 lbs, per lb	.21c
SLICED BACON, large glass jars	.20c
NEW CALIFORNIA FIGS, 2 pkgs for	.15c
Morrell's or Armour's SUGAR CURED HAMS, per lb	.15c
PURE CANE SUGAR, 100-lb sacks for	.65c
PURE CANE SUGAR, 50-lb sacks	\$3.15
15 lbs FINEST GRANULATED SUGAR	\$1.00
BEET GRANULATED SUGAR, 10c per sack less than cane	
1 doz cans CHILI, large cans	.95c
CRISP LETTUCE, per bunch	.5c
Extra fancy CELERY	.10c
Best CRANBERRIES (last chance at this price), quart	.10c
Best SARDINES in oil, doz cans for	.45c
Best SARDINES in mustard, doz cans for	.50c
Best COVE OYSTERS, doz cans	.88c
Best COVE OYSTERS, large size cans dozen for	\$1.75
Large No. 1 MACKEREL, 2 for	.25c
ENGLISH BREAKFAST MACKEREL, 2 for	.15c
Best CODFISH, 2-lb bricks for	.15c
Fancy selected CODFISH, 1-lb wooden boxes, 2 for	.25c
FISH FLAKES, small tins, 3 for .25c; large tins, 2 for	.25c
1-lb NEW CITRON or ORANGE PEEL, top	.15c
SMELLED NEW ALMONDS or WAL-NUTS, lb	.50c
8 lbs SAL SODA	.15c
6 lbs best BULK BAKING SODA	.25c
10c pkgs COW SODA, 2 for	.15c
8 5c rolls good TOILET PAPER	.25c
4 10c rolls finest quality (4,000 sheets) for	.25c
10c PERFECTION OIL (if not delivered), 5 gallons	.35c
20c PALACINE COAL OIL (if not delivered) 5 gallons	.70c
15c CROWN GASOLINE (if not delivered), 5 gallons	.65c
20c quality LEAN BACON for	.17c
15c quality SMOKED BACON, 8 lbs for	.10c
SWEET POTATOES, peck	.25c

Last Delivery Leaves the Store

Except Saturday at 5 p. m.

THE TOWNSEND CO.
THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH
STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

**CARDUI WORKED
LIKE A CHARM**

After Operation Failed to Help,
Cardui Worked Like-a Charm.

Jonesville, S. C.—"I suffered with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. J. S. Kendrick, in a letter from this place, "and at times, I could not bear to stand on my feet. The doctor said I would never be any better, and that I would have to have an operation, or I would have a cancer."

I went to the hospital, and they operated on me, but I got no better. They said medicines would do me no good, and I thought I would have to die.

At last I tried Cardui, and began to improve, so I continued using it. Now, I am well, and can do my own work. I don't feel any pains.

Cardui worked like a charm."

There must be merit in this purely vegetable, tonic remedy, for women—Cardui—for it has been in successful use for more than 50 years, for the treatment of womanly weakness and disease.

Please try it, for your troubles.
N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chatanooga Medicinal Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Received 700 Sheep.

Elmer Fraser bought recently 700 sheep on the Omaha market. They were received Wednesday and were taken to his farm east of Maryville.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Frank E. Blauvelt, administrator of the partnership estate of Moberly & Blauvelt, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such administrator at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be held at Maryville, in said county, on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1911.

F. E. BLAUVELT,
Administrator.

"I'll take a paper. What?"

"Sold out."

"Who and when?"

"Roy has the news stand, E. W. Friend's barber shop"

"Who?"

"Roy Godsey is the new proprietor."

FRESH OYSTERS

Direct from the coast. They are large enough to fry, and don't you know a New York Oyster is lighter in color and a finer flavor than Baltimore stock. They come to us in five-gallon cans SEALED. No ice ever put in the Oysters. Compare our Oysters with others and you can see the difference. We sell the solid meat. NO WATER. A trial will convince you we are right on the Oyster question.

ANDREWS & HEMPSTEAD

House Plants

Beautiful Ferns, Palms, Begonias, Cyclamen, Primroses, Lillies, Carnations, etc. We are daily cutting quantities of choice Chrysanthemums, roses, carnations, lillies, violets, etc. "It is always better to buy of Engelmann than to wish you had."

ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES,
1201 South Main Street.

Hanamo 171-8, Bell 126.

NOVEMBER 9, 1911.

50--Good for 50 Votes--50

Cut out this coupon and present at our store and we will give you credit for 50 votes.

(This coupon is printed in both the Democrat-Forum and Tribune daily papers).

Not good after Thursday, November

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Ruines Brothers
JEWELERS & OPTICIANS

100 West Third St.

**TURKS DID NOT
ASK MEDIATION**

U. S. Was Only Asked to Intervene to Stop Atrocities.

AMERICA WILL NOT INTERFERE

Italy Declares Only People Guilty of Cruelties Were Arabs—European Powers Only are Concerned.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Misconstruction of the appeal made by Turkey at Tripoli resulted in the issuance of a statement by Youssouf Zia Pacha, the Turkish ambassador, declaring that Turkey had no wish that the United States should act as a mediator to end the Turk-Italian war.

"The call which the embassy made on the Washington government October 4 had for its object a request of the state department to intervene in order to bring about cessation of the atrocities committed by the enemy against women, children and the defenseless population of Tripoli," said the ambassador. "This appeal did not imply in any form, whatever, a request for mediation, as has been reported in some quarters."

Further official denials from the Italian government of the rumored atrocities by Italian troops at Tripoli were given out during the day through the Italian embassy. Three cablegrams from the minister of foreign affairs, San Giuliano, were made public by Marquis Cusani Confalonieri, the ambassador.

The first of these said: "I beg your excellency to deny in the most absolute and emphatic form the alleged Italian cruelties. The Arabs are the ones who are guilty of atrocities against our soldiers."

Another official dispatch denies the statements heretofore made that Gen. Caneva had authorized the troops to shoot all Arabs suspected of having borne arms against the Italians. It was stated that many of the Arabs actually found with arms in their possession were deported instead of being shot.

Apparently the state department has decided to take no action upon the protest of the Turkish government, contenting itself with a bare acknowledgement of the receipt of the protest and meanwhile closely watching developments. The department officials still are firm in their conviction that the issue between Turkey and Italy is one that concerns European powers alone.

American Consul John Q. Wood, at Tripoli, reported the city in an extremely unsanitary condition. He advised state department that he did not desire to avail himself of the refuge offered by the cruiser Chester, which has arrived and sailed almost immediately for Marseilles.

BURGLAR SCARE FALSE ALARM

Wichita Woman Got Up in Her Sleep And Put Money in Wood Box.

Wichita, Kan., Nov. 9.—For several hours Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilburs hunted for \$1,300 they had when they went to bed. The presence of so much money in the house weighed on Mrs. Wilbur's mind and it is supposed that while asleep she rose and, taking the roll of bills from a supposedly safe hiding place where her husband had left it on going to bed, secreted it. In the morning the money could not be found and no one could recall having disturbed it. Detectives were summoned, but before they reached the house a member of the family discovered the missing money in a woodbox.

Mutual Insurance Men Meet.
Springfield, Mo., Nov. 9.—Delegates from three-fourths of the counties of the state are here to attend the fourth annual convention of the Association of Farm and County Mutual Insurance companies in Missouri, which opened at the Springfield club. There are 100 mutual companies in the association, having a combined membership of 125,000, and the total insurance carried is about \$150,000,000.

Death Watch for Beattie.
Richmond, Va., Nov. 9.—Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., condemned to die November 24 for the murder of his young wife, has been removed from the city hall to the penitentiary to await the execution of the death sentence. He was locked in a cell in the condemned ward, adjoining the death chamber.

To Link State Capitals.
Columbia, Mo., Nov. 9.—The Columbia Commercial club has started a movement at the suggestion of Dean Walter Williams of the school of journalism, for a trans-continental highway connecting all of the state capitals directly north and south of Missouri.

Balfour Quits as Leader.
London, Nov. 9.—A. J. Balfour has resigned the leadership of the opposition. Throughout the day there had been rumors in the lobby of the House of Commons that Mr. Balfour had decided to retire.

Robinson's

Mammoth Poland-Chinas

Are not an accident, but are the result of 18 years of careful selection and breeding by F. P. Robinson of Maryville, Missouri

The Head of the Herd is Pawnee Pete 55115



Both he and his dam were bred by F. P. Robinson, he was two years old last April and weighed 950 pounds on the Iowa State Fair Grounds August 27th last when about two years and four months old, and was not at all fat at the time. He has an eleven inch bone and the best of feet.

We claim that he has more style and quality than any hog of his size now living, and that he is the biggest hog of his age ever produced.

Will Sell at Auction

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17th
AT MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
SIXTY-ONE HEAD OF BIG ONES

Twenty-nine of them are by Pawnee Pete. Twelve by Prince Ito 56611 who weighed 900 pounds at two years and four months. And the balance by other mammoth boars.

They are the big, long, heavy boned, mellow, easy feeding and quick maturing kind, that are hardy and prolific and make you money.

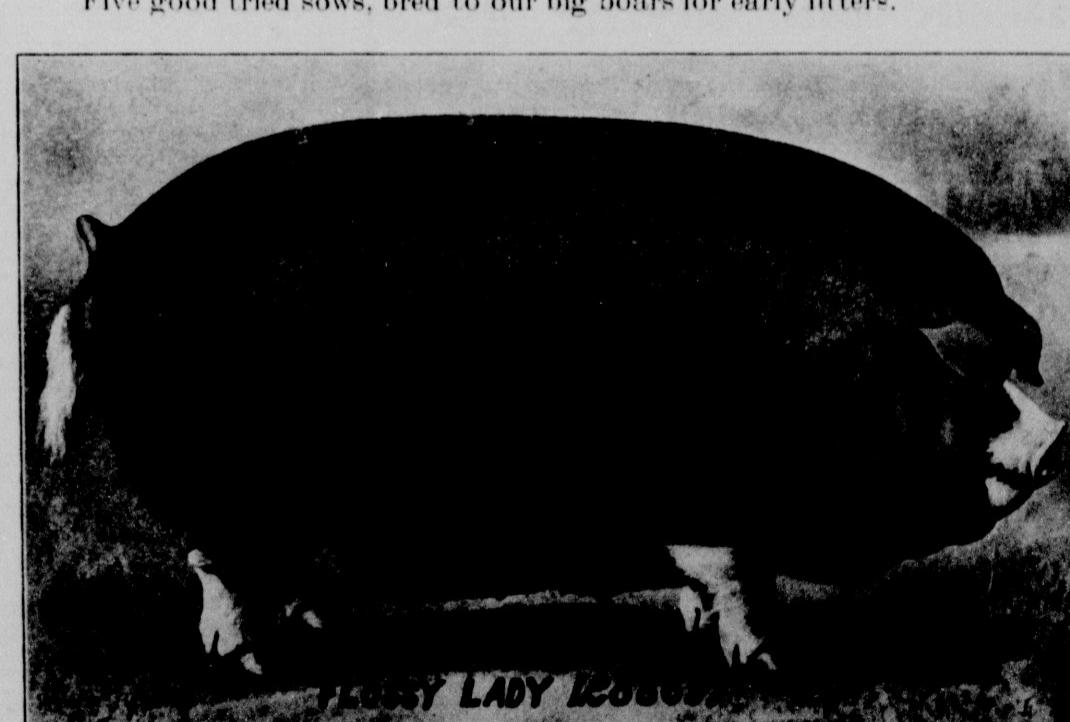
The Offering Consists of

Twenty-eight, big, long, lusty boars of February and March farrow, weighing from 200 to 250 pounds. Some spotted ones in the lot.

Twenty beautiful spring gilts of the same age and quality as the boars.

Eight big roomy gilts of last fall farrow, bred to our big boars for early litters.

Five good tried sows, bred to our big boars for early litters.



The sale will be held at my farm adjoining Maryville in the big barn, and commence at 1:30 p. m. Sharp

WRITE NOW FOR CATALOG

F. P. Robinson, Maryville,
Missouri
Aucts: Cols. H. S. Duncan, R. P. Hosmer, Perry Chapple

Grab Sale 25c Saturday, Nov. 11 25c Grab Sale

Stop and think what a grab sale at our store means. Almost the only article that we sell as low as 25c is collar buttons, and there is not a one in this sale. There will be one gentleman's 12 s. watch, 20 year case and Elgin movements, one 0 s. ladies' watch, Waltham movement, 10 year case.

NOTICE TO CONTESTANTS AND THEIR FRIENDS—In one package there will be 20,000 votes, two packages will contain 10,000 each, four packages 7,500 each, 10 packages 5,000 each, 15 packages 3,500 each, 25 packages 2,500 each, 40 packages 1,500 each, 100 packages 1,000 each, 300 packages 500 each. No package will contain less than 200 votes. Please remember no one will be allowed to solicit votes in the store.

One package will contain an order for a pair of glasses fitted with the best toric lenses. Our optician will test and see that your eyes are correctly fitted. If the party who secures this box does not need glasses they may present the order to whom they please. Be on hand at 9 o'clock sharp and get your choice of packages. Your money's worth and more in every package.

Only 25c.

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For two or three years my hair had been falling out and getting quite thin, until the top of my head was entirely bald. About four months ago I commenced using Sage and Sulphur. The first bottle seemed to do some good and I kept using it regularly, until now I have used four bottles. The whole top of my head is now fairly covered with hair, and it keeps coming in thicker. I shall keep on using it a while longer, as I notice a constant improvement.

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A 25c Cake of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Toilet Soap Free to anyone
who will send us this advertisement with 10c in stamps to cover cost
of wrapping and mailing the soap.

George B. Mulholland went to Stan-
berry Wednesday.

What do you want to sell in Hos-
mer's mid-month stock sale, Nov. 18th.

As the old saying goes

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating there-
of," and thus we refer to our showing of

Adler's Collegian Clothes

for Fall and Winter wear. The assortment of styles, patterns and colorings is absolutely unlimited. We guarantee every one of these garments to fit perfectly, and give the purchaser wearing, lasting qualities. Let us show you what wonderful values we offer in this famous make of clothes.

We are holding special sales on
Underwear Men's Work Clothes
Sweaters Shoes
Rubber Goods

You can save from ten to twenty per cent by trading at our store. We carry the best makes, best assortment and best quality in Maryville. Remember every article we sell is warranted to give Satisfaction. "We Want Your Business"

M. Nusbaum
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Mrs. Joseph Proctor of Ravenwood who has been the guest of Mrs. Catharine Miller, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Claud Roelofson and son of Barnard spent Wednesday in the city. Mrs. Roelofson came to attend the funeral of her friend and former neighbor, Mrs. A. S. Robey.

Miss Edith Graybill of Hopkins is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Nettie Warren, and family.

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600 HENS IN CONTEST

NATIONAL EGG-LAYING CONTEST TO CONTINUE FOR ONE YEAR.

32 BREEDS TAKING PART

Each is Registered and Each Egg is Marked When It is Laid—\$10,000 For Experiment Station.

The following appeared in a recent issue of the St. Louis Republic in regard to 600 hens starting in an egg-laying contest to continue for one year:

Mountain Grove, Mo.—Big hens and little hens of every color, blend and breed, have toed the mark here and are "off in a bunch" in the first national egg-laying marathon.

Although this is the fourth day of the race, there has been so much cackling among the 600 contestants that the egg gatherer has been on the jump from daylight till dark, releasing each hen from her trap nest and crediting her with her day's work. He has not had time to figure which breed is off in the lead in this 365-day contest.

The last Missouri legislature appropriated \$10,000 for a poultry experiment station to be under the direction of the state poultry board and gave them a general appropriation of \$25,000 to carry on their regular work and for prizes to be offered at poultry shows.

The business men of Mountain Grove raised \$5,000 and purchased thirty acres of an apple orchard adjoining their city which they gave to the poultry board as a site for the experiment station. On October 12, the administration building was dedicated, several thousand poultry raisers from all parts of the state and neighboring states being present at the exercises.

In outlining the work for the experiment station the board decided to hold a national egg-laying contest, to obtain definite information on the cost of producing eggs from various breeds.

They solicited entries of pens of five hens each from the poultry raisers of America and offered suitable prizes to the winners in various classes and breeds. The number of entries filed was so large that some of them had to be declined on account of lack of room at the station.

Entries for 132 pens were accepted and accommodations prepared for them. The laying houses are 8x19 feet, partitioned through the middle with wire netting making two apartments in each house. Each apartment has a yard 30x120 feet.

The hens representing two entries of the same breed, occupy each yard and apartment. There are thirty-two breeds taking part in the contest, the entries having been sent from thirty-four states, with three pens from Canada.

The hens arrived at the experiment station during September and October, to become accustomed to their surroundings, so they would be in condition for the egg-laying race. As the hens arrived each was registered and a numbered band fastened to her left leg.

The hens are all trap-nested and the number of the band written on the egg with pencil when the hen is released. One man gives his entire time to gathering the eggs, releasing the hens as soon as possible after they have laid.

Each hen has a tray in the egg room at the administration building, in which her eggs for each week are accumulated. Every seven days the eggs are weighed, the weight credited to her and then sold on the market. A record in the office shows which hens have laid each day, and this record will be final in making out the list of prize winners.

If a contesting hen becomes sick during the year she will be removed from the pen and a substitute hen from the same owner will take her place and get credit for all eggs laid by her predecessor.

At the end of the year the cost of

MARCELL'S Advertisement

We have just received a few new Kodak albums. You should have one to preserve your Kodak pictures for the years to come. We carry a complete line of amateur supplies.

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The Photographer
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New Postal Banks in County.

feed for each yard will be divided between the ten hens in it, and the credit on eggs will show how much money each hen has netted during the year.

No male birds will be placed in the yards until about the first of January and about the first of February a few eggs from each hen will be placed in small hatching traps in the incubators.

The chicks will be marked before being taken from the tray, so that each hen's offspring can be identified at any time, and the growth and vitality noted. The chickens of each breed will be placed together in brooders, and all the feed will be weighed and charged to each brooder to determine the cost of growing the different breeds.

Tests will be made for the fertility in eggs from the heavy laying breeds, and their offspring will be watched closely to determine the vitality of those chicks as compared to chicks from less productive layers of the same breed.

No entry fee was charged for the national egg-laying contest, but the state poultry board will award cash prizes and valuable cups to the pen laying the most marketable eggs during the year, to the second pen and to the third pen. Also to the hen which lays the most marketable eggs during the year.

Several poultry clubs have offered valuable prizes for the winners in their particular breeds, and a poultry journal offers twelve beautiful silver cups to be awarded, one each month, to the pen producing the most eggs in thirty days.

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Two reliable poultry men under Mr. Quisenberry's direction will have charge of gathering the eggs and caring for the hens during the contest, and no other persons will be allowed in the yards or houses. However, all other yards and houses at the experiment station are open to the public and visitors are welcome.

WOULD NOT GRANT CHANGE.

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UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICES.

Will Be Held at First Baptist Church—Rev. W. J. Parvin will Preach the Sermon.

The regular union Thanksgiving services held annually by the Protestant churches of this city will take place at the First Baptist church, Thursday, November 30, at 10:30 o'clock a. m. The sermon will be preached by Rev. W. J. Parvin of the M. E. church, South. No arrangements have yet been made for the musical program, which will be final in making out the list of prize winners.

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children, Gerald and Otis Mendenhall, made a week-end visit with Frank Schweißhardt and family.

The pupils of Mt. Ayr school are advancing nicely under the instruction of Miss Bernice McGinnis.

A good many people are complaining of bad colds, but there is no serious illness in the community at present.

The ladies of the Mt. Ayr church served lunch at Mrs. McMullen's and also at Mr. Carmichael's sales and netted a neat little profit.

Mrs. O. D. Inman was trading with Maryville merchants last Tuesday.

Todays Markets

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—5,500. Market weak. Estimate tomorrow, 1,500.

Hogs—24,000. Market steady; top, \$6.40. Estimate tomorrow, 19,000.

Sheep—25,000.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—5,000. Market weak.

Hogs—13,000. Market 5c higher;

top, \$6.40.

Sheep—7,000. Market weak.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—18,000.

Hogs—8,000. Market strong; top,

\$6.35.

Sheep—2,500. Market weak.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Nov. 8.—Cattle receipts, 5,000. Steers steady; top, \$8.85. Cows sold steady, but heifers were 10@15c lower. Outlook firm for choice cattle, but future on medium grades and butcher cattle depends on receipts.

Hog receipts, 8,000. Market 10@15c lower; top, \$6.35; bulk, \$6.00@6.25. Outlook only fair.

Sheep receipts, 4,000. Market unchanged. Top lambs, \$5.75; sheep, \$3.35.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

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Six wagon loads of dirt to dispose of. Call Hanamo Telephone office. 8-10.

Hosmer's mid-month stock sale at Gray's pavilion Saturday, Nov. 18th.

Miss Josephine Ault of Barnard was in Maryville shopping Wednesday.

Mergen's cut flower store, the place where you can get the best flowers at reasonable prices. Floral work a specialty. Hanamo phone 61; Bell 153.

STONE FOR CHAMP CLARK.

Missouri Senator Declares the Speaker is His Ideal.

United States Senator William Joel Stone, in St. Louis yesterday, announced himself unqualifiedly as favoring the candidacy of Speaker Clark for the Democratic nomination for the presidency in 1912.

LEFT FOR NEW HOME.

Mrs. C. P. Luce and Son Left Thursday—Will Visit in Chicago.

Mrs. Charles P. Luce and son, George, left Thursday noon for Chicago, where she will meet her daughters, Misses Cornelia and Katharine Luce, who left for that city by way of Des Moines Wednesday. They will be in Chicago a few days, the guest of a niece of Mrs. Luce, Mrs. Lacy Hooker and of the family of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrison, who are located at 6565 Yale for the winter. Robert Luce, a high school student, will remain in Maryville until Friday night, the guest of Theodore Robinson, and will leave Maryville in time to take up his high school work in his new home at Wooster, O., without missing an hour of school work. Mrs. Luce and her family have been making their headquarters the past week with Mrs. V. W. Keene and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Raines. They have been entertained at dinners and breakfasts by several friends during the past week, and were unable to accept the many invitations they received. On Sunday they were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ogden, Monday by Mr. and Mrs. Raines, Tuesday by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curfman and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Petty, Wednesday by Mr. and Mrs. Ogden, Professor and Mrs. B. F. Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kurtz. The Luce family will be greatly missed by many of our people, and the best wishes of all follow them. The city of Wooster offers many fine educational advantages, and this place was decided upon by Dr. Luce for that reason. Mrs. Luce expects to take up special university work and keep up in study with her children. She will renew her study of German and French, in which studies she was quite proficient. Her mother, Mrs. L. H. Taylor, who is quite well known here, now in Detroit, will be with the Luce family in Wooster.

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TAKEN BY OKLAHOMA OFFICERS AT PENITENTIARY GATE.

Desperate Man Must Now Answer for Killing Postmaster at Red Rock in 1901.

Jefferson City, Nov. 9.—Charles Maust, identified as Ben Cravens, the notorious outlaw, was arrested as he stepped from the state prison gate to be taken to Oklahoma to be tried in the United States court for two murders.

The arrest was made at midnight to get ahead of the Kansas officers, who had arrived to take him to Lansing to complete a 25 year sentence for robbery in Chautauqua county.

Four Oklahoma officers and two officers of the Kansas penitentiary identified Maust as Cravens when he was arraigned before United States Commissioner Geisberg for the killing of the postmaster at Red Rock, Ok., in 1901. That section was then an Indian reservation, hence the offense charged will be tried in the federal courts.

Cravens was then turned over to A. J. Martin of Kansas City, United States marshal, who took him as far as Kansas City, where he was given up to government authorities from Oklahoma. Cravens was heavily handcuffed and in addition wore a heavy leg iron.

Cravens' body bears scars from bullet wounds and upon these, partly, his identification as Cravens was established. Cravens asserts he was not shot by Oklahoma officers in a fight which resulted in the death of a companion, but that he was shot by Kansas authorities when he escaped from the state penitentiary at Lansing, after holding up guards with a dummy revolver.

Cravens, under the name of Maust, was sent to the Missouri penitentiary in 1895 to serve three years for robbery.

BEN CRAVENS REARRESTED

Three Big Teachers' Meetings

Annual Sessions Open in Missouri, Kansas And Iowa, Addressed by Noted Men.

Topeka, Kan., Nov. 9.—"What Next in Kansas Educational Work" was the keynote sounded by President M. E. Pearson when he called to order today the State Teachers' association, and the entire program is designed to answer this question. Men and women eminent in various lines of educational work are among the speakers. The boy scouts in uniform meet all incoming trains, and the women of Topeka have arranged ample entertainment for the spare hours of the visitors.

Des Moines, Ia., Nov. 9.—A session of the educational council this morning was the opening event of the 57th annual meeting of the Iowa State Teachers' Association. Chairman A. M. Deyoe of Des Moines, state superintendent of public instruction, presided. At the first general session of the association this evening there will be a band concert, followed by addresses by President Fred Cahanah and William G. Frost, president of Berea college, Kentucky.

Hannibal, Mo., Nov. 9.—Park theater was thronged with teachers this morning when the annual meeting of their state association opened, and they had a foretaste of the excellent program arranged in the addresses delivered and the music. The speakers were President John W. Withers of St. Louis, Dr. Earl Barnes and Dr. W. C. Bagley. At the same time in the Presbyterian church another audience heard papers by H. W. Foght and others. The general and department sessions will continue through Saturday.

Mabray Bond Too High.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Nov. 9.—Mrs. J. C. Mabray is interceding with the officers of the district court in an effort

to secure a reduction in the bond demanded of her husband, now in the Polk county jail awaiting trial on 23 charges in connection with the operation of the Mabray "swindle syndicate."

The aggregate bond that may be exacted of him is \$115,000.

Missouri a Lemon State.

St. Louis, Nov. 9.—Lemons weighing 1½ pounds each and grown within

the borders of Missouri are a feature of the fifth annual flower show of the St. Louis Horticultural society.

Churches Will Advertise.

Topeka, Nov. 9.—The churches of

Topeka are going to commence advertising in the local papers and pay the regular rates. Rev. F. L. Love-

land, pastor of the First M. E. church, will be the first to start it.

Cattle Wrecked a Train.

Tulsa, Ok., Nov. 9.—A southbound

Midland Valley passenger train was

wrecked by a herd of steers four miles

north of Skiatook. The cattle were

asleep alongside the track and the

approaching train caused them to

stampede and charge the locomotive.

METHODIST BISHOP SUED FOR LIBEL

New Development in Topeka's Missionary Society Row.

MRS. COPE ASKS FIFTY THOUSAND

Churchman Refuses to Retract Charges
And Committee is Unable to Patch Up
Trouble.

Topeka, Nov. 9.—A suit for libel for \$50,000 damages was brought by Mrs. Carrie Cope against Bishop David H. Moore of Cincinnati. The bishop refused to retract his charges against Mrs. Cope made in a letter relating to trust funds in the care of the Topeka woman.

Four bishops of the Methodist church were in Topeka all afternoon trying to work out a settlement of the legal and personal controversy in the church growing out of the bequest of Mrs. Fannie Murray. When Bishop Moore refused to retract, all negotiations were off and just as fast as lawyers could get to the courthouse the libel suit was filed. Bishop Moore was served with the summons shortly after 5 o'clock.

Mrs. Cope alleges that a letter by Bishop Moore was calculated to injure her "as a citizen, as a wife, as a mother, and as a Christian." She declares she has been "humiliated, pained and hurt" and that she is entitled justly to damages in the sum of \$50,000.

That is the second suit Mrs. Cope has brought. The first one was filed at Wichita against Mrs. George C. Robinson of Detroit, president of the Women's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church. At the Kansas conference at Abilene in March Bishop Moore wrote a letter to Mrs. Robinson regarding the Murray trust fund. This letter was circulated by Mrs. Robinson and caused the libel suit against her.

"I have nothing to retract," Bishop Moore said. "I meant no reflection on the financial honesty of Mrs. Cope and there is nothing in the letter that I need apologize for. I have been sued and that is a novel experience for me."

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These Cotton Blankets come in a large range of solid colors and in an attractive assortment of plaids. The more expensive ones come in the 72 by 84-inch size, and weigh as high as four pounds. They have a desirable wool finish.

Made from the best grades of cotton obtainable.

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STARTING TOMORROW

**A November Sale of
Blankets and
Bedding**

Reduced prices on Blankets and Bedding should attract wide-spread attention at this time of the year. And the opportunity to select from our large and complete stocks makes this announcement one of more than usual importance.

The reduced prices will be in force starting tomorrow morning and continuing throughout the entire week following.

**Highest Quality All-Wool
Blankets**

\$10 Wool Blankets, size 76 by 86 inches, white only, weight 6 pounds, pink and blue silk bound edges, for.....	\$9.25
\$9 Wool Blankets, size 70 by 84 inches, white only, weight 5 pounds, all wool, for.....	\$8.25
\$7.50 Wool Blankets, size 70 by 84 inches, weight 5 pounds, gray, tan and fancy plaids, for.....	\$7.00
\$6 Wool Blankets, size 70 by 84 inches, in gray, tan and fancy plaids, all wool, for.....	\$5.50
\$5.50 Wool Blankets, size 70 by 84 inches, in gray, tan and fancy plaids, all wool, for.....	\$5.00
\$5 Wool Blankets, size 70 by 84 inches, in gray, tan and fancy plaids, all wool, for.....	\$4.50

**Best Grade of Cotton
Blankets**

\$3.50 Blankets for.....	\$3.15	\$1.75 Blankets for.....	\$1.50
3.00 Blankets for.....	2.65	\$1.50 Blankets for.....	1.35
2.75 Blankets for.....	2.48	1.25 Blankets for.....	1.05
2.50 Blankets for.....	2.15	1.00 Blankets for.....	.85
2.25 Blankets for.....	1.95	.69 Blankets for.....	.55
2.00 Blankets for.....	1.75		

A Very Special Value

\$3.00 grade Cotton Blankets, in gray and tan, size 72 by 84 inches, weight 4 pounds, during this sale for.....

\$7.50 Indian Blankets \$7

Indian Blankets made by a firm that has been making them for a generation for the Navajo, Cheyenne, Comanche, Sioux and other Indian tribes. The designs and patterns are identical with those that go to the Indian

TOMORROW FRIDAY

The Buying Value of your Money will be even Greater than usual at

TOWNSEND'S

10 crates good hard CABBAGE, per pound	2c
50 or 100-lb lots at, per lb	1 1/4c
25c CORN MEAL	21c
25c box best ROLLED OATS	20c
10c box best ROLLED OATS	8c
15c cans QUAKER OATS	12c
9 lbs new NAVY BEANS	50c
7 lbs new KIDNEY BEANS	50c
7 lbs new CALIFORNIA PINK BEANS	50c
MISTLETOE BUTTERINE, 1-lb prints for	29c
1 doz ELGIN CORN	90c
1 doz LOWA CHIEF CORN	85c
1 doz FAMILY TOMATOES	95c
1 doz NEW BEETS, quart cans	90c
1 doz NEW HOMINY	85c
1 doz PUMPKIN	90c
1 doz VAN CAMP'S COUNTRY GENTLEMAN CORN	\$1.25
1 doz CAMPBELL'S or LIBBY'S SOUPS	95c
2 pkgs best MINCE MEAT	15c
2-lb finest MOIST MINCE MEAT	25c
1 gal PURE CIDER VINEGAR, 25c; 2 for	45c
1 gal WHITE WINE VINEGAR, 15c; 2 for	25c
1 doz tall cans 16-oz size VAN CAMP'S Pet or CARNATION MILK	\$1.00
SALT CURED PORK, 3 lbs for	\$1.00
Morrell's 25c grade LEAN BREAKFAST BACON, pieces 4 to 6 lbs, per lb	21c
SLICED BACON, large glass jars	20c
NEW CALIFORNIA FIGS, 2 pkgs for	15c
Morrell's or Armour's SUGAR CURED HAMS, per lb	15c
PURE CANE SUGAR, 100-lb sacks for	86.85
PURE CANE SUGAR, 50-lb sacks	83.45
15 lbs FINEST GRANULATED SUGAR	\$1.00
BEET GRANULATED SUGAR, 10c per sack less than cane	
1 doz cans CHILI, large cans	95c
CRISP LETTUCE, per bunch	5c
Extra fancy CELERY	10c
Best CRANBERRIES (last chance at this price), quart	10c
Best SARDINES in oil, doz cans for	45c
Best SARDINES in mustard, doz cans for	50c
Best COVE OYSTERS, doz cans	88c
Best COVE OYSTERS, large size cans dozen for	\$1.75
LARGE NO. 1 MACKEREL, 2 for	25c
ENGLISH BREAKFAST MACKEREL, 2 for	15c
Best CODFISH, 2-lb bricks for	15c
Fancy selected CODFISH, 1-lb wooden boxes, 2 for	25c
FISH FLAKES, small tins, 3 for 25c; large tins, 2 for	25c
1-lb NEW CITRON or ORANGE PEEL	15c
SHelled NEW ALMONDS or WALNUTS, 1b	50c
8 lbs SAL SODA	15c
6 lbs best BULK BAKING SODA	25c
10c pkgs COW SODA, 2 for	15c
8 5c rolls good TOILET PAPER	25c
4 10c rolls finest quality (4,000 sheets) for	25c
10c PERFECTION OIL (if not delivered), 5 gallons	35c
20c PALACINE COAL OIL (if not delivered) 5 gallons	70c
15c CROWN GASOLINE, (if not delivered), 5 gallons	65c
20c quality LEAN BACON for	17c
15c quality SMOKED BACON, 8 lbs for	\$1.00
SWEET POTATOES, peck	25c

Last Delivery Leaves the Store Except Saturday at 5 p. m.

THE TOWNSEND CO.
THE ONLY LARGE EXCLUSIVE CASH STORE IN NORTHWEST MISSOURI.

CARDUI WORKED LIKE A CHARM

After Operation Failed to Help, Cardui Worked Like a Charm.

Jonesville, S. C.—"I suffered with womanly trouble," writes Mrs. J. S. Kendrick, in a letter from this place, "and at times, I could not bear to stand on my feet. The doctor said I would never be any better, and that I would have to have an operation, or I would have a cancer."

I went to the hospital, and they operated on me, but I got no better. They said medicines would do me no good, and I thought I would have to die.

At last I tried Cardui, and began to improve, so I continued using it. Now, I am well, and can do my own work. I don't feel any pains.

Cardui worked like a charm." There must be merit in this purely vegetable, tonic remedy, for women—Cardui—for it has been in successful use for more than 50 years, for the treatment of womanly weakness and disease.

Please try it, for your troubles.

N.B.—Write to Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chatanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Received 700 Sheep.

Elmer Fraser bought recently 700 sheep on the Omaha market. They were received Wednesday and were taken to his farm east of Maryville.

Notice of Final Settlement.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Frank E. Blauvelt, administrator of the partnership estate of Morberly & Blauvelt, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such administrator at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be held at Maryville, in said county, on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1911.

F. E. BLAUVELT,
Administrator.

"I'll take a paper. What?"

"Sold out."

"Who and when?"

"Roy has the news stand, E. W. Friend's barber shop"

"Who?"

"Roy Godsey is the new proprietor."

FRESH OYSTERS

Direct from the coast. They are large enough to fry, and don't you know a New York Oyster is lighter in color and a finer flavor than Baltimore stock. They come to us in five-gallon cans SEALED. No ice ever put in the Oysters. Compare our Oysters with others and you can see the difference. We sell the solid meat. NO WATER. A trial will convince you we are right on the Oyster question.

ANDREWS & HEMPSTEAD

House Plants

Beautiful Ferns, Palms, Begonias, Cyclamen, Primroses, Lillies, Carnations, etc. We are daily cutting quantities of choice Chrysanthemums, roses, carnations, lillies, violets, etc. "It is always better to buy of Engelmann than to wish you had."

ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES,
1201 South Main Street,
Hanover 171-8, Bell 126.

NOVEMBER 9, 1911.

50--Good for 50 Votes--50

Cut out this coupon and present at our store and we will give you credit for 50 votes.

(This coupon is printed in both the Democrat-Forum and Tribune daily papers).

Not good after Thursday, November

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Raines Brothers
OPTICIANS

109 West Third St.

TURKS DID NOT ASK MEDIATION

U. S. Was Only Asked to Intervene to Stop Atrocities.

AMERICA WILL NOT INTERFERE

Italy Declares Only People Guilty of Cruelties Were Arabs—European Powers Only are Concerned.

Washington, Nov. 9.—Misconstruction of the appeal made by Turkey at Tripoli resulted in the issuance of a statement by Youssouf Zia Pacha, the Turkish ambassador, declaring that Turkey had no wish that the United States should act as a mediator to end the Turk-Italian war.

"The call which the embassy made on the Washington government October 4 had for its object a request of the state department to intervene in order to bring about cessation of the atrocities committed by the enemy against women, children and the defenseless population of Tripoli," said the ambassador. "This appeal did not imply in any form, whatever, a request for mediation, as has been reported in some quarters."

Further official denials from the Italian government of the rumored atrocities by Italian troops at Tripoli were given out during the day through the Italian embassy. Three telegrams from the minister of foreign affairs, San Giuliano, were made public by Marquis Cusani Confalonieri, the ambassador.

The first of these said: "I beg your excellency to deny in the most absolute and emphatic form the alleged Italian cruelties. The Arabs are the ones who are guilty of atrocities against our soldiers."

Another official dispatch denies the statements heretofore made that Gen. Caneva had authorized the troops to shoot all Arabs suspected of having borne arms against the Italians. It was stated that many of the Arabs actually found with arms in their possession were deported instead of being shot.

Apparently the state department has decided to take no action upon the protest of the Turkish government, contenting itself with a bare acknowledgement of the receipt of the protest and meanwhile closely watching developments. The department officials still are firm in their conviction that the issue between Turkey and Italy is one that concerns European powers alone.

American Consul John Q. Wood, at Tripoli, reported the city in an extremely unsanitary condition. He advised state department that he did not desire to avail himself of the refuge offered by the cruiser Chester, which has arrived and sailed almost immediately for Marseilles.

BURGLAR SCARE FALSE ALARM

Wichita Woman Got Up in Her Sleep And Put Money in Wood Box.

Wichita, Kan., Nov. 9.—For several hours Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilburt hunted for \$1,300 they had when they went to bed. The presence of so much money in the house weighed on Mrs. Wilbur's mind and it is supposed that while asleep she rose and, taking the roll of bills from a supposedly safe hiding place where her husband had left it on going to bed, secreted it. In the morning the money could not be found and no one could recall having disturbed it. Detectives were summoned, but before they reached the house a member of the family discovered the missing money in a woodbox.

Mutual Insurance Men Meet.
Springfield, Mo., Nov. 9.—Delegates from three-fourths of the counties of the state are here to attend the fourth annual convention of the Association of Farm and County Mutual insurance companies in Missouri, which opened at the Springfield club. There are 100 mutual companies in the association, having a combined membership of 125,000, and the total insurance carried is about \$150,000,000.

Death Watch for Beattie.
Richmond, Va., Nov. 9.—Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., condemned to die November 24 for the murder of his young wife, has been removed from the city jail to the penitentiary to await the execution of the death sentence. He was locked in a cell in the condemned ward, adjoining the death chamber.

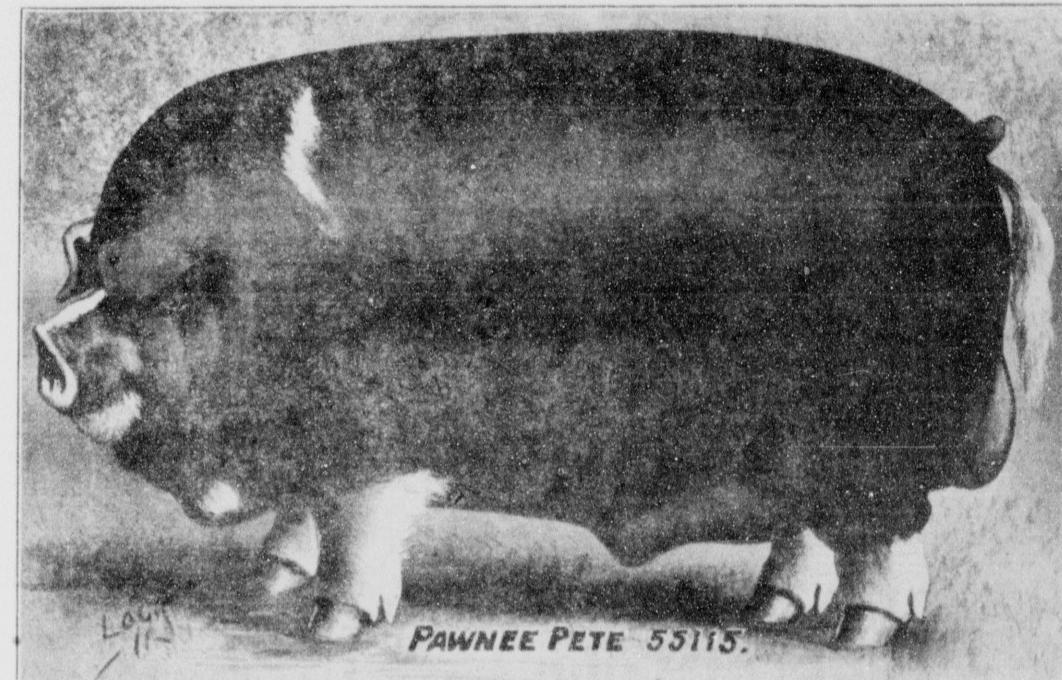
To Link State Capitals.
Columbia, Mo., Nov. 9.—The Columbia Commercial Club has started a movement at the suggestion of Dean Walter Williams of the school of journalism, for a trans-continental highway connecting all of the state capitals directly north and south of Missouri.

Balfour Quits as Leader.
London, Nov. 9.—A. J. Balfour has resigned the leadership of the opposition. Throughout the day there had been rumors in the lobby of the House of Commons that Mr. Balfour had decided to retire.

Robinson's Mammoth Poland-Chinas

Are not an accident, but are the result of 18 years of careful selection and breeding by F. P. Robinson of Maryville, Missouri

The Head of the Herd is Pawnee Pete 55115



Both he and his dam were bred by F. P. Robinson, he was two years old last April and weighed 950 pounds on the Iowa State Fair Grounds August 27th last when about two years and four months old, and was not at all fat at the time. He has an eleven inch bone and the best of feet.

We claim that he has more style and quality than any hog of his size now living, and that he is the biggest hog of his age ever produced.

Will Sell at Auction

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 17th
AT MARYVILLE, MISSOURI
SIXTY-ONE HEAD OF BIG ONES

Twenty-nine of them are by Pawnee Pete, Twelve by Prince Ito 56611 who weighed 900 pounds at two years and four months. And the balance by other mammoth boars.

They are the big, long, heavy boned, mellow, easy feeding and quick maturing kind, that are hardy and prolific and make you money.

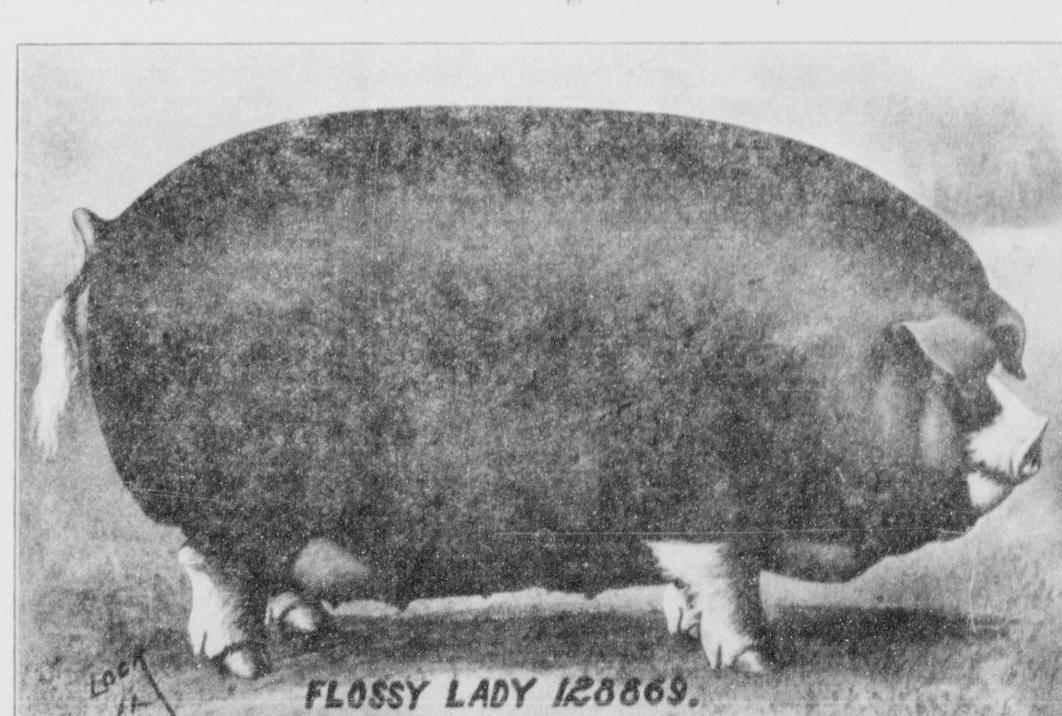
The Offering Consists of

Twenty-eight, big, long, lusty boars of February and March farrow, weighing from 200 to 250 pounds. Some spotted ones in the lot.

Twenty beautiful spring gilts of the same age and quality as the boars.

Eight big roomy gilts of last fall farrow, bred to our big boars for early litters.

Five good tried sows, bred to our big boars for early litters.



The sale will be held at my farm adjoining Maryville in the big barn, and commence at 1:30 p. m. Sharp

WRITE NOW FOR CATALOG

F. P. Robinson, Maryville, Missouri
Aucts: Cols. H. S. Duncan, R. P. Hosmer, Perry Chapple

Grab Sale 25c Saturday, Nov. 11 25c Grab Sale

Commencing at 9 o'Clock Sharp

Stop and think what a grab sale at our store means. Almost the only article that we sell as low as 25c is collar buttons, and there is not a one in this sale. There will be one gentleman's 12 s. watch, 20 year case and Elgin movements, one 0 s. ladies' watch, Waltham movement, 10 year case.

NOTICE TO CONTESTANTS AND THEIR FRIENDS—In one package there will be 20,000 votes, two packages will contain 10,000 each, four packages 7,500 each, 10 packages 5,000 each, 15 packages 3,500 each, 25 packages 2,500 each, 40 packages 1,500 each, 100 packages 1,000 each, 300 packages 500 each. No package will contain less than 200 votes. Please remember no one will be allowed to solicit votes in the store.

One package will contain an order for a pair of glasses fitted with the best toric lenses. Our optician will test and see that your eyes are correctly fitted. If the party who secures this box does not need glasses they may present the order to whom they please. Be on hand at 9 o'clock sharp and get your choice of packages. Your money's worth and more in every package.

Only 25c.

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Nature's Hair Restorer



Restores Gray Hair to Natural Color

Sulphur is a Natural Element of the Hair

When there is not a sufficient amount of sulphur in the hair, it loses its life, color and strength, turns gray, and falls out. There are many forms of sulphur, but only one kind that is suitable for treatment of the hair and scalp, and **that is the kind used in preparing WYETH'S SAGE AND SULPHUR HAIR REMEDY**.

We Have the Secret, and We Give You the Benefit of It at an Exceedingly Low Price

For two or three years my hair had been falling out and getting quite thin, until the top of my head was entirely bald. About four months ago I commenced using Sage and Sulphur. The first bottle seemed to do some good and I kept using it regularly, until now I have used four bottles. The whole top of my head is now fairly covered with hair, and it keeps coming in thicker. I shall keep on using it a while longer, as I notice a constant improvement.

STEPHEN BACON, Rochester, N. Y.

50c. and \$1 Bottles, At All Druggists Or Semi Express Prepaid Upon Receipt of Price

WYETH CHEMICAL COMPANY
74 CORTLANDT ST., NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

A 25c Cake of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Toilet Soap Free to anyone who will send us this advertisement with 10c in stamps to cover cost of wrapping and mailing the soap.

George B. Mulholland went to Stanberry Wednesday.

What do you want to sell in Hosmer's mid-month stock sale, Nov. 18th,

As the old saying goes

"The proof of the pudding is in the eating thereof," and thus we refer to our showing of

Adler's Collegian Clothes

for Fall and Winter wear. The assortment of styles, patterns and colorings is absolutely unlimited. We guarantee every one of these garments to fit perfectly, and give the purchaser wearing, lasting qualities. Let us show you what wonderful values we offer in this famous make of clothes.

We are holding special sales on Underwear Men's Work Clothes Sweaters Shoes Rubber Goods

You can save from ten to twenty per cent by trading at our store. We carry the best makes, best assortment and best quality in Maryville. Remember every article we sell is warranted to give Satisfaction. "We Want Your Business"

M. Nusbaum
The Old Reliable

THE TIGERS LEAD

In the Normal Basket Ball Tournament With a Percentage of .642.

Standing of Teams.

	P.	W.	L.	Prct.
Tigers	14	9	.642
Athletics	13	8	.561
Dodgers	14	7	.500
Dwarfs	13	5	.384
Giant	14	5	.357

Again Captain Mitchell's "Bengals" are leading the basket ball tournament as a result of their trouncing the Dodgers Wednesday night by a count of 17 to 8. The Athletics remained idle, hence they retain their percentage of .615. Wednesday's defeat practically puts the Dodgers out of running, though they still have a scant chance to win the rag. The game last night was hard fought, especially in the early period, the first half ending in a tie, 5 and 5. In the second half Nixon replaced Miller at center, and his place was taken by Holmes. This combination worked to a better advantage, and after Captain McGrew of the Dodgers was benched for disputing the referee's decision the Tigers had little trouble in winning. The line-up:

Tigers—Mitchell and Carpenter, forwards; R. Miller and Nixon, center; Nixon, Holmes and Scott, guards.

Dodgers—Ferris and Denny, forwards; H. Seymour, center; McGraw, Mutz and Parman, guards.

Summary—Field goals, Carpenter 2, Mitchell 3, Scott 1, H. Seymour 2. Free throws, Carpenter 5, Denny 2, Seymour 2.

In the after-show the Dwarfs humbled the Giants in a walkaway score of 23 to 4. The Giants were held to one field goal and were equally as successful on the defense. Captain McClinton's men scored ten field goals, Daisey leading in the attack with four. When it comes to defense the Dwarfs are about the "kandiest bunch what is." Captain McClinton himself can guard two men and not get out of breath, either. His position on the first team is assured.

The line-up of the Dwarf-Giant game:

Dwarfs—Dunshee, Daisey and LaMar, forwards; Breit, center; McClinton and F. Miller, guards.

Giants—V. Seymour and Taylor, forwards; McDougal, center; Hanna and Price, guards.

Summary—Field goals, Price 1, Dunshee 1, Breit 3, Daisey 4, McClinton 1. Free throws, Seymour 2, Dunshee 3, Daisey 1.

At the request of the fans the basket ball games scheduled for Friday afternoon will be played Friday night at 8:15 o'clock at the Normal gymnasium.

As the tournament closes next week the games Friday night will be very hotly contested. An admission of ten cents will be charged. The Athletics will line up against the Giants and the Dwarfs will play the Dodgers.

Horses, milch cows, stock cattle, stock hogs, brood sows and boars of all breeds at Hosmer's mid-month stock sale.

Mrs. Claud Roelofson and son of Barnard spent Wednesday in the city. Mrs. Roelofson came to attend the funeral of her friend and former neighbor, Mrs. A. S. Robey.

Miss Edith Graybill of Hopkins is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Nettie Warren, and family.

Bring your stock to the mid-month sale, Nov. 18th. The buyers will be there.

Mrs. Charles Butler of Hopkins is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Strawn.

Mrs. Ashley Goodson of Ravenwood was in the city Wednesday and Thursday, the guest of Miss Kate Willits.

John Brewer of Kansas City, a former Maryville boy, is visiting in Maryville. Mr. Brewer has been away from Maryville for nine years and this is his first visit back.

For Sale

A few good yearling oxford bucks and a few good ram lambs. F.P. Robinson.

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vase. The guests were met at the door by little Miss Pauline Henderson and received in the library by Mrs. B. E. Clark. The parlor, library and dining room were beautifully decorated in pink and white chrysanthemums. The house was lighted throughout with candles. In the dining room lees and cakes were served by Mrs. Ralph Henderson, Mrs. Glen Barber and Mrs. J. Clark. The following guests were present: Misses Elsa Griffith, Marie Grober, Nettie Clark, Wilma Stafford, Catherine Bently, Bertha Allen, Lola Creg, Mabel Bertell, Lula Montgomery, Fredia O'Connor, Cleva Barber, Fay Cartier and Pauline Henderson. Messrs. Fred Montgomery, Cleo Barnyard, Samuel Greason, Charles Doan, Floyd Grober, Leo Barber, Ray Spargeur, Roland Lahr, Cecil O'Connor, Carl McDonald, Wesley Bartlett, Alvin Egbert and Myron Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Barber, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Clark.

Horses, cattle, hogs, sheep and all kinds at Hosmer's sale, Nov. 18th.

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